

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Francis MICHON et al. Confirmation No.: 4609
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For: IMMUNOGENIC β -PROPIONAMIDO-LINKED POLYSACCHARIDE PROTEIN
CONJUGATE USEFUL AS A VACCINE PRODUCED USING AN N-
ACRYLOYLATED POLYSACCHARIDE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

VIA EFS
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment ("Notice") that was issued by the U.S.P.T.O. for the above-referenced case on March 6, 2007. The Notice indicated that the status identifiers for claims 29-36, 41-58, and 62-65 were incorrect and should have read "withdrawn". Applicants revised the claim list pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 and hereby submit a revised claim list with the correct status identifiers.

Because this paper has been submitted within the 30-day period for response set forth by the Office Action, no extension-of-time fees are believed to be necessary. However, in the event that a Petition for an Extension of Time and fee are required for the entry of the amendments presented herein, Applicants hereby make the Petition for an Extension of Time and authorize the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 50-3732, Order No. 13564-105037 for the extension of time fee or for any other fee that may be necessary.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which beings on page 2 of this paper.